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SUBJECT: DOCUMENT LOCATOR SYSTEM: PLANNED EVALUATION/ TRAINING VISIT - JULY 1978

1. TOM BUCKLEY/FADRC PLANS EVALUATION/TRAINING VISIT FOR JULY. LENGTH OF VISIT WILL BE APPROX. TWO WEEKS.

OBJECTIVES OF VISIT ARE: (1) EVALUATE INDEXING USING TAGS/TERMS SYSTEM; (2) PROVIDE ADDITIONAL TRAINING FOR INDIVIDUALS TRAINED DURING IMPLEMENTATION VISIT; (3) PROVIDE RETRIEVAL TRAINING FOR LOCAL EMPLOYEES IN ECON/COM SECTIONS IF TRAINING NEEDS STILL EXIST; (4) INTRODUCE DEPT'S FULL INDEXING VOCABULARY (THESAURUS) TO OFFICERS AS AN ADDITIONAL INDEXING TOOL; (5) ESTABLISH QUALITY CONTROL PROCEDURES FOR THE SYSTEM; (6) DISCUSS NEW MICROGRAPHICS APPLICATIONS WITH THE C&R SECTION; (7) INTRODUCE NEW MICROGRAPHICS APPLICATIONS TO THE POL AND ECON/COM SECTIONS; (8) PROVIDE IN-DEPTH TRAINING FOR THE SYSTEM'S MANAGER ON UNCLASSIFIED

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FADRC INDEXING TECHNIQUES.

2. RE ITEMS 6 AND 7: BUCKLEY DISCUSSED WITH DCM AT END OF IMPLEMENTATION VISIT NEW MICROGRAPHICS APPLICATIONS BEING DEVELOPED IN DEPT. THESE APPLICATIONS ARE NOW BEING IMPLEMENTED AT AMEMBASSY BOGOTA. APPLICATIONS CONSIST OF: (A) PROVIDING POL AND ECON/COM SECTIONS WITH MICROFILM

REELS CONTAINING "STATE-TO-SEOUL" AND "SEOUL-TO-STATE" CABLE TRAFFIC FILMED IN ASCENDING (CHRON) ORDER; (B) UTILIZING THE MICROGRAPHICS IN THE C&R SECTION IN THE AREA OF CHRON FILES. THE REELS MENTIONED IN APPLICATION "A" WILL COVER ONLY JAN-APR 78 CABLE TRAFFIC. PENDING POST'S UTILIZATION OF THESE REELS, 1977 AND FUTURE 1978 CABLE TRAFFIC CAN BE PROCESSED.

3. PROPOSED SCHEDULE IS AS FOLLOWS:

A. ARRIVE SEOUL THURSDAY JULY 6, PM.

B. FRIDAY, JULY 7, AM.

BRIEF DCM ON VISIT OBJECTIVES.

MEET WITH C&R SECTION TO DISCUSS MICROGRAPHICS

APPLICATION.

FRIDAY, JULY 7, PM.

MEET WITH SYSTEM'S MANAGER FOR IN-DEPTH TRAINING

ON FADRC INDEXING PROCEDURES.

C. 1ST WEEK (JULY 10-14)

POLITICAL SECTION

MONDAY, JULY 10, AM.

GROUP MEETING TO INTRODUCE DEPT'S FULL INDEXING

VOCABULARY (THESAURUS), AND DISCUSS USE OF CURRENT

INDEXING VOCABULARY.

MONDAY, JULY 10, PM THRU THURSDAY, JULY 13, PM.

 $(1) \ INDIVIDUAL \ TRAINING \ SESSIONS \ WITH \ OFFICERS \ AND$

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SECRETARIES.

(2) INDIVIDUAL REVIEW OF EACH OFFICER'S INDEXING OF SELECTED DOCUMENTS INDEXED SINCE MARCH 1, TO IDENTIFY AND RESOLVE PROBLEMS, AND DETERMINE OUALITY OF INDEXING.

FRIDAY, JULY 13, AM.

MEET WITH SYSTEM'S MANAGER RE IN-DEPTH TRAINING

ON FADRC INDEXING PROCEDURES.

FRIDAY, JULY 13, PM.

GROUP MEETING WITH POLITICAL SECTION TO DISCUSS

FINDINGS AND PRESENT RECOMMENDATIONS.

D. 2ND WEEK (JULY 17-21).

ECON/COM SECTION

SAME TYPE SCHEDULE AS 1ST WEEK'S SCHEDULE IN POL

SECTION.

FRIDAY, JULY 21, AM.

MEET WITH SYSTEM'S MANAGER RE IMPLEMENTING QUALITY

CONTROL PROCEDURES, ESTABLISHING FEEDBACK

 $\ \, MECHANISMS, AND\ TRAINING\ PROCEDURES.$

FRIDAY, JULY 21, PM.

GROUP MEETING WITH ECON/COM SECTION TO DISCUSS

FINDINGS AND PRESENT RECOMMENDATIONS.

BRIEF DCM ON FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS.

4. REQUEST POST'S COMMENTS ON PLANNED VISIT. VANCE

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